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THE BANK OF CHINA. JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

CAPITAL CALLED-UP...... 251,093.15.0

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CHANTREY INCHBALD, Manager. Hongkong, 10th April, 1803.

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL .....£1,500,000 

BANKERS:

LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED. INTEREST ALLOWED on CURRENT ACCOUNTS at the Rate of 2 per cent.

per annum on the Dally Balance. ON FIXED DEPOSITS :--For 12 Months..... per cent.

JOHN THURBURN. Manager, Hongkong. Hongkong, 4th February, 1893.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA,

HEAD OFFICE :- HONGKONG.

Court of Directors:-1 ChowTungShang, Esq. D. Gillies, Esq. Kwan Hol Chuen, Esq. Chan Kit Shan, Esq. H. Stolterfoht, Esq. Chief Manager,

GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR. Bran chas. - London, Yokohama, Shanghal and

BANKERS:-The Commer cial Bank of Scotland. Parrs Banking Co., and The Alliance Bank (Ld.

Interest for 12 months Fixed, 5 per Cent. CURRENT ACCOUNTS Hongkong, 24th May, 1893.

Prisurances.

# THE STANDARD.

ENDOWMENT

ASSURANCE. I. AMONG THE MANY ADVANT-

AGES of the form of Assurance, the following may be mentioned :-(a)-It secures an immediate Provision

for wic and family or other selatives in event of early death. (b)-It provides a Fund for Retirement (c)-It supplies an exc llent Investment

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pectus.

STANDARD LIVE OFFICE. Hongkong, 5th August, 1893.

NOTICE. THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS, Scc. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies.

CHAU TSEUNG FAT. Secretary. HEAD OFFICE.

No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST. Hongkong, 1st Begtember, 1893.

GENERAL NOTICE. THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY,

(LIMITED.) CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000 } \$833,333-33-

EQUAL TO minimum RESERVE FUND ..... \$318,000.00. BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

Lo Veus Moon, Esq. LEE SING, Esq. LOU TSO SHUN, Esq. -MANAGER.--HO AMEL

ARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken IVI at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the Cargo.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST, Hongkong, 17th December, 1884

# Intimations.

HONGKONG HOTFL COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEET. ING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the COMPANYS HOTEL, on FRIDAY, 15th September, at NOON for the purpose of receiving a Statement of the Accounts of the Company to 30th June, 1893, with the Report of the Directors, and to discuss any matters that my con potently be brought before the meeting.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from and to 15th September, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board, R. LYALL, Secretary.

Hongkong, 25th August, 1893. CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE TWENTY-SEVENTH ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above COMPANY will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, Victoria, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the
15th September, at 4 o'clock P M., for the purpose
of presenting the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to 30th April last, and of

declaring Dividends. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the and to the 15th Sept., both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors,

W. H. RAY,

Secretary. Hongkong, 24th August, 1893.

NOTICE THE SHAMEEN HOTEL AND LAND COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is bereby given that the ORDI-NARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above-named Company will be held in the COMPANY'S OFFICE. No. 7. D'AGUILAR STREET, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 23rd Instant, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' Report and a Statement of Account of the Company's

will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 24th inst., inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors. R. C. HURLEY, Secretary. Hongkong, 8th September, 1893.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICES, on SATURDAY, the 23rd Instant, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, together with a Statement of Accounts to 10th June, 1801.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from the 16th to the 23rd September, both days inclusive. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, 9th September, 1893. THE PHARMACY,

25, QUEEN'S ROAD. # ESSRS. FLETCHER & Co. beg to VI inform the Residents of Hongkong and the Shipping Community, that they purpose OPENING at the above address to a few days a First-class Drug Store. The store will be managed by a thoroughly competent Chemist who will take every care that all. Drugs and

Chemicals used in the compounding of pres-FLETCHER & Co. will have on hand a good selection of Drugalsts' Sundries and Patent

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Hongkong, 4th Sept mber, 1804.

AN APPEAL

THE SUPERIORESS of the ITALIAN CONVENT, CAINE POAD, begg most respectfully to APPEAL to the Residents of Hongkong and the Coast P rts, for their kind patronage and support, and desires to state that

she will be pleased to receive orders for all kinds of NEEDLE WORK. Gentlemen's Shirts made to order, and Cuffs and Collars renewed on old ones. Ladies and Children's Under-clothing Children's Dresses, and all kinds of Embroidery,

Materials can be supplied, if required. The Superioress will also be most grafeful for any: PAPER, or old ENVELOPES to be made into Books for the Children of the Poor Schools, who are taught by the Sisters, Hongkong, 22nd April, 1804.

F. BLACKHEAD & CO., SHIP-CHANDLERS, SAILMAKERS, COAL AND PROVISION MER-CHANTS, NAVAL CONTRACTORS AND GENERAL COMMISSION

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Quickest despatch with lowest possible rates, co Carmichael & Co. Ld. Hongkong, 15th June, 1801

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HIS long established SELECT Family Hotel, situated on the Bund, facing the river, in the centre of the Settlements, has lately undergone extensive alterations, and is now fitted with he latest modern improvements, including Bath and Dressing Rooms ATTACHED to Suites and Single Rooms, with hot and cold water laid on, DOUCHE, SHOWER SPRAYS, etc., and heated to a comfortable temperature during winter.

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SEPARATE ROOMS FOR PRIVATE DINNER PARTIES, &-c.

The Electric Lighting now partly laid on will be completed during this year, 1892. An Assistant will attend on Passengers by Mail Steamers.

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r Tucker

Hangkong, 9th August, 1803.

# THE HONGKONG HOTEL.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS, "Kremlin "-A. B. C. Code,-TELEPHONE, No. 12.

PROPRIETORS......THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL—the most commodious and best appointed Hotel in the Far East, affords unequalled accommodation to travellers and others. It is situated in the centre of the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hongkong Club, adjacent to Pedder's Wharf (the principal landing stage of the Colony) and in close proximity to the Banks and Shipping

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and baggage from the Entrance Hall to each of the five floors above.

NIGHT PORTERS and WATCHMEN are continually on duty.

Hongkong, 12th Tebruary, 1593.

Intimations.

THE PUNJOM MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

CHAREHOLDERS are requested to PAY the Call of FIFTY CENTS per Share on the Ordinary Shares in the above Company, standing in their Names on the Register of the Company, and to note that this was DUE on the 3rd lustant.

A. O'D. GOURD'N, Secretary. Hongkong, 12th September, 1803.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY. LIMITED. NOTICE.

A FTER this date NO FULLY PAID-UP TRANSFERRED on which the Calls on the NEW SHARES standing in the same Name remain Unpaid.

> R. LYALL, Secretary.

Hongkong, 10th April, 1893. HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

SUMMER CHARGES. JUNE, JULY, AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER, . \$75 PER MONTH

for BOARD and LODGING in ROOMS facing Peddar Street or to the Eastward. FURNISHED ROOMS without Board \$45 Per Month.

Apply to Manager and/or Secretary. "HONGKONG HOTEL Hongkong, 19th May, 1893.

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THE, Undersigned has always thought that such a place as this was the one thing needed to fit in between HOTEL LIFE and the PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE—providing it be First-class in every detail. A place where one may have his GRILLED CHOP or STEAK at any hour of the Day, up to 11 P.M.; or later if notice be given. He is also prepared to SUPPLY MEALS to PRIVATE PARTIES. per MENU or ORDER-the Parties sending Dishes, &c., for same-and Cash, Scale on application.

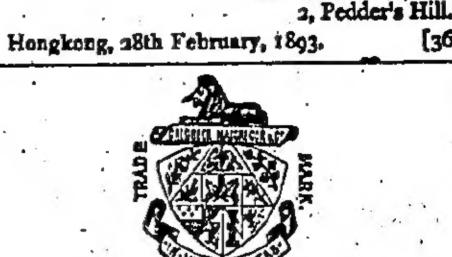
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on hand and served in every Style. Breakfast .....\$0.50 Tiffia .....\$0.75 SPECIAL TIFFINS and DINNERS served

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GLASGOW. 13, Queen's Road;

# Hongkong, 24th August, 1803.

Motices of Firms. HUMPHREYS' ESTATE AND FINANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. MR, HART BUCK has been appointed SECRETARY of the sebore named SECRETARY of the above-named Company.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, Governing Directors. Hongkong, 7th September, 1893.

NOTICE, MR. HART BUCK is Authorized to Sign our FIRM per procuration JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON.

Hougkong, 7th September, 1893. NOTICE. MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY,

LIMITED. TAR. CHAU TSEUNG FAT has been IVI appointed SECRETARY to the above Company, vice Mr. WOO LIN YUEN, deceased. By Order of the Board of Directors,

川橙關 (KWAN HOI CHUEN), Managing Director. Hongkong, 1st September, 1803.

Telegraphic Address "Sobrinos," Hongkong, (A.B.C. Code 4th Edition.)

AUCTIONEERS, VALUERS & GENERAL MERCHANTS. No. 17, PRAYA CENTRAL, Under Messis, Douglas Lapraik & Co.'s Offices.

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DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED,

FOR SWATOW. THE Company's Steamship

"FOKIEN," Captain Davis, will be despatched for the above Port TO-MORROW, the 14th instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, 13th September, 1893. FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Steamship "PORT ALBERT." Captain C. E. Bird, R N.R., will be despatched for the above Port on WEDNESDAY, the 20th

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Agents.

"SHELL" LINE OF STEAMERS. Steamship "TROCAS." Steamship "SPONDILUS." Steamship "ELAX." Steamship "VOLUTE." Steamship "MUREX."

Steamship "TURBO."

Hongkong, 8th September, 1893.

Steamship "CON H." -Steamship "CLAM," Steamship "BULLWOUTH,"-FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG,

Taking Cargo on through Bill of Lading to NEW YORK. THE Next Sailing will be the Steamship

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SHEWAN & Co.,

Hongkong, 31st August, 1893. N.B .- The Steamers of this Line will be despatched monthly from Hongkong, and offer exceptional advantages to Shippers of perishable

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cargo, owing to an improved method of ventila-

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SAILING VESSELS. FOR NEW YORK.

THE 3/3 L. I. I. American Bark "FREEMAN." Gerrish, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Ca. Hongkong, and August, 1893.

# Consignees.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S. S. "MACDUFF,"

FROM NEW YORK AND SINGAPORE. CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves

delivery may be obtained. Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 18th instant, will be subject All claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 18th instant, or they will not be recognised.
All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are

examined on the 18th instant, at 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DÖDWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

to be left in the Godowns, where they will be

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA-TION COMPANY. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

Hongkong, 12th September, 1893.

FROM TRIESTE, VENICE, PORT SAID, SUEZ, JEDDAH, SUAKIM, MASSAWAH, HODEDDA, ADEN, BOMBAY, COLOMBO, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship "MARQUIS BACQUEHEM" having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Oplum, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, whence delivery may be obtained.

This vessel brings on Cargo :--From Venice, ex S.S. "CARLOTTA" transhipped at Bombay. From Calcutta, ex S.S. "AGLAIA," transhipped at Colombo. From Trieste, ex S.S. "IMPERATRIX,"

transhipped at Bombay. Optional Cargo will go on to Shanghai unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 P.M., TO-DAY. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Undersigned before Noon on the

18th instant, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 18th instant, will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

C. ZANELLA. Agent Hongkong, 11th September, 1893. 1995

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A high class Fertiliser for Pot Plants and for use in the Garden generally; it supplies natural nourishment to the soil and assists the process of assimilation, thereby aiding the plants to attain to their full size, vigour, and beauty.

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This work is alike interesting to the student of botany and to the practical gardener, and comprises a large number of plants which for the convenience of reference are arranged in separate groups and are headed with their ordinary and botanical names.

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is practically dealt with, and Pruning, Grafting, and Manuring thoroughly explained. Price \$7.50.

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TO SUBSCRIBERS.

Hongkong, 4th September, 1803.

MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE.

SUBSCRIBERS TO "THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH" ARE MOST RESPROTFULLY REMINDED THAT ALL SUBSORIPTIONS

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1893.

MR. JUSTICE WISE AND THE Q.C.

Mr. Acting Justice Wisz rendered excellent service to the community in general and to unfortunate litigants in particular by his remarks in the Summary Court, last Friday, regarding the blocking of public business and the time wasted by certain. lawyers neglecting duties for which they are handsomely paid. His lordship made = special allusion to Mr. J. J. Francis, Q.C., who has no doubt been the chief offender amongst the erring fraternity. According also to the necessity of providing for the to his lordship a considerable number of cases had been allowed to accumulate alleged they had no time to attend to them. a causing great waste of time and inconvenience to the Court. This sort of thing ought to be put a stop to once and for all. and a hard and fast rule made and strictly sa ctioned on such trivial grounds, Lawyers appear to imagine that the law courts were established and exist principally for their benefit, and that proper administration of of secondary Importance | cure.

to their personal convenience and accumulating a heavy bill of costs. This is a fallacy that must be exploded. Litigants have quite enough to put up with in the ordinary procedure without being made the victims of practices which, in any other profession but that of the law, would not be tolerated for an instant. No lawyer, no matter whether barrister or solicitor. should be allowed to undertake a case unless in a position to thoroughly attend to its management. To come into court time and after time, asking for postponements on such a ridiculous plea as too many engagements' is as much an insult to the Court as it is unjust and a waste of time, patience and money to the client. It legal practitioners possessmany valuable privileges, they may also incur heavy responsibilities by neglecting interests they are paid to safeguard and protect. When Mr. Francis, Q.C., was on the Bench he was noted for the strictness with which he insisted on all proceedings being thoroughly attended to by the lawyers as well as by the officers of the Court, and no judge was ever more severe on any neglect or inattention to the business within his province. Let the learned gentleman now take the hint so courteously conveyed by Mr. Justice Wise on Friday, and set his juniors a good example!

### TELEGRAMS.

YACHTING. THE VICTORIA CUP.

LONDON, September 12th. The Prince of Wales's yacht Britannia has won the Victoria Cup after having besten Mr. Carroll's Navahos (American) three times.

DALZIEL'S MOTION REJECTED.

The motion brought forward in the House of Commons by Mr. James H. Dalziel, Member for Kirkcaldy, to reduce the War Office vote as a protest against the Duke of Connaught's appointment to the Aldershot command, has been rejected by 156 votes to 39.

SPAIN. MADRID, September 6th. The riots at San Sebastian are over.

A SUGAR CORNER.

A powerful syndicate has been formed in the United States to run down the price of sugar, with a view to buying at nominal rates and c mering the market. Business is therefore entirely suspended in Havana, causing a serious financial crisis, which has shaken confidence the Cuban Bank to such an extent that the Government has had to help it.

#### LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE Fiji Shimpo is responsible for the statement that piracy is prevalent in the Inland Sea of Japan.

MR. J. McLEAVY BROWN left for the North yesterday to take up his post as Commissioner of Customs in Kores.

Miss.Giddy-Well, he is very nice, and his moustache tickles less than any one I ever knew!

A TELEGRAM dated Nagesaki 31st August, says that in the sale of the Russlan man-of-war, Villar, which toundered off the Corean coast Mr. Hashimoto Kiyoshi's tender of 10,500 yen was accepted, the next to his being 9,900 yen.

THE Fapan Herald states that two more landships have occurred in Gifu prefecture, this time at Tangumi-mura, Ikeda-gun. A policeman was killed, six persons were injured, and three houses were smashed to pieces.

THE modern Civil Service Examination. What is soap ?-A new invention for calming roubled waters in typhoons, instead of oil, Is soap used for anything else ?-Yes, it made up with morphia in various unlawful ways. Anything else ?- The soft variety is what the

Colonial Secretary never uses in despatches.

On the 5th inst, and following days, the authorities of the Philippines were kept busy receiving reports from the country districts showing damage done by the typhoon. The Pasig, Paruso, and other rivers rose above the embankments, and did fremendous damage. The Amigo del Pueblo insists on the necessi for Government action to prevent the annua recurrence of disasters like this.

AT the meeting of the Sanifary Board on Thursday, September 14th, at 4 15 p.m., the Orders of the Day will be :- r. Report of committee appointed to consider the question of public laundry work in the colony. 2. Report of committee appointed to consider the question respecting the construction of house-drains by the Board. Agenda .- 1. Mortality returns for the weeks ended the and and oth September, 1893, 2. Surveyor's report on condition of drains at Nos. 14 and 16, Shelley Street. 3. List of prosecutions instituted by the acting superintendent from 1st July to grat August, 1803. Superintendent's report on cases of failure comply with the notices issued by the Board re-drain certain premises. 5. Petitions regarding fat-boiling in the City. 6. Application for permission under the provisions of the Health Ordinance to crect water-closets and usingle on private premises. 7. Six applications for licences to keep

THE Japan Mail of the 5th inst, states that sows ANOTHER of those periodical attempts to time since an arrangement was entered into burglarise Messis. Lans, Crawford & Co.'s between the Nippon Yusen Kalsha and the premises, and with which that firm should now Pacific Mail Company by which the vessels of be unpleasantly familiar, was made on Monday the latter should not, for a certain prescribed time, call at Kobe and Shanghal. Owing, attempts and as usual "Joss" was dead against however, to the competition with the the enterprise. The thief is supposed to have Canadian Pacific Railway Company, and comfort of passengers going to or returning from the World's Fair, much inconvenience is because the legal gentlemen retained felt by the Pacific Mail Company in observing the conditions agreed upon. Our contemporary now bears that a compromise has been effected between the two parties, by which the Japanese Company has consented to the entry of the until a later period. Whether he was overcome Pacific Mail Company's ships into Kobe to take | with the value of his haul or was mushed for passengers and cargo, on condition that after adhered to that no postponements be deducting the cost of food, the balance of the not succeed in opening the safe. That a Chinese local fares will be paid over to the Nippon Yesen | might have many opportunities for hiding away Kalaha: An arrangement for the return of a in such extensive premises is conceivable but certain proportion of the rates on freights has that he should make good his escape in the also been made. The new agreement refere to morning without being seen seems rather Robe alone. The Pacific Mail Company's reseals | strange. However, it has been done and there

A shight shock of earthquake was experienced at Yokohama on the morning of the 4th inst. It was also felt at Tokyo and Nikko, and rather severely at the latter place.

Mrs. Glddy-I never wear a silk waist when young Jenkins calls. Mrs. Gay-Way so?

Mrs. Glddy-His bands perspire so !-MUCH damage has been done to the crops in parts of Japan by recent hadstorms. In Toyama prefecture on the and inst, hallstones weighing

over two cunces are reported to have fallen. In the Supreme Court to day :--The Chief Justice-But how does the Farmer

get the opium?

gible thievery.

The Q C.—He gets it in the chest ! THE Austrian man-of-war Kaiserin Elizabeth has been docked at Yokosuka, Japan, for the purpose of having her hull cleaned and painted prior to her departure for Europe via the Sucs

AMONG a number of alleged English "refresh ing dilnks" the Diario de Manila quotes sherry gobier, cokteil, Buffato Bills' coktail, Angostura bitters, ponche americano, gip, brandy, and

DYSENTERY still prevails in many of the provinces in Japan. In Koba there are on an average 27 iresh cases a day. Isolated cases of cholers are also reported, one at Tokyo on the rst inst. and another at Yokohama on the and.

Musses, Meslymouth & Co. have received the following, among thousands of unsolicited testimoniais :— "I have used soft soap for forty years, and

never use any other.-Yours, J.J.K., Ewo."

SHANGHAI native papers state that the son of villager in Sinza was deliberately and judicially drowned in the Southow creek the other day by

OWING to fresh arrangements having been made | For various reasons, it could not be a for mutual convenience. Mr. Francis did not after all have his "field day" in the Summary still accumulating.

ACCORDING to telegrams received by the Tiji Shimpo, five persons were struck dead by lightning, a dozen more were injured and three houses were set on fire during a thunderstorm that raged in the Tokushima prefecture on the and inst.

RINDERPEST still continues to gain ground in certain districts in Japan despite the efforts of the authorities to stamp it out. In: Wakayamaken 150 head of cattle have died and it is reprited that the pisgue has spread to Osaka and Miye prefectures.

THE legal profession in Dai Nippon must be paying one, judging from the numbers that strive for admission to the ranks there. At Toky recently, the number of candidates seeking pass their examination as barristers was 730 while those up to pass as Judges and Procurators numbered 470.

IT is reported by wire from Peking that the Emperor, in consequence of the unsettled state of the weather throughout the empire this year, has determined to ask the ail of the prayers of the Taoist Pope, Chang Tien-sia, who lives in Kiang-si, and that a mandate will soon be sent to the Lunghu mountain (the residence of the Pope) to that effect.

ACCORDING to the Japan Gazette Mr. Edward Edmund Kildoyle, of 203, the Bluff, Yokohams, has been adopted as a Japanese subject, as Miss Aske-How do you like dear Mr. Blobson? husband to Miss Asal Hama, of 6 Yoshihamacho. The Home Deportment gave the necessary permission for naturalisation on the 1 it inst. Mr. Kildeyle, if we mistake not, is a native of the United States.

> THE Shanghai Mercury hears from native sources that the Chinese land-owners living slong the banks of the Yangtere at the place where the steamer Kungwo is ashore, are causing a lot of trouble by refusing to allow the bank to be dug away from around the strarded steamer, and the matter will have to be referred to the British Consul at Hankow for settlement

> WITH regard to the contract entered into by Messrs. Iardine, Matheson & Co. and the City Assembly of Osaka for the supply of iron pipes for the projected wa er-works of that town and I., M. & Co.'s rescission of the same, the City authorities have resolved to return to ye princely firm their guaranteed deposit of yes 13,000, it having been decided that the contract was not in proper form. Good old elastic "proper

> REFERRING to the test match between the new American yachis Vigilant, Jubiles, and Colonia, a Newport, R.I. dispatch dated August 17th says:-- As a result of to-day's event yachtamen bereabouts think the "America's" Cup is safe. To-day's race off Brenton reef was a fair test of the merits of the various beats, and the Vigilant sailed like a witch and stood up like a house. It was not only a victory for her, but also a triumph for American ideas, for the ordinary every-day center-board type of boat that has so ably defended the Cup, thoroughly outsailed the fin-keels and every other device that could be attached to the bottom of racing craft,

IT may interest coasting navigators to know that H.M.S. Caroline discovered the other day i shoal patch of rocks between Turnsbout and Haitan islands, in lat. 25.0. 26' 10" N. and look. 119 0 53' 45" E. According to Mr. W. P. Ludder navigating officer of the Caroline-

"This is a rocky patch of six to ten fathoms. lying midway between Haitan and Turnabout Islands, five cables long, in a N.E. and S.W. direction, and three cables broad. Least water found, six fathoms, rock.

"At low water there is a very heavy tide rip, patch. As there may be similar patches between these islands, it is suggested that yessels should pass cutside Turnabout."

night. It was exactly on the lines of previous secreted himself upon the premises on Monday evening and to have "lain low" until the coast was clear. The appearance of the office next morning indicated that the visitor was of a patient and persevering turn of mind, for he had proceeded to ransack drawer after drawer (thereby getting the coloscal sum of three cents) and foolishly postponed his attack upon the safe time, he left no note to tell, but saybow, he didjustice will not call at Shanghal for either passengers or perhaps the matter will read, unless the "coppers" I have more than untimer lick.

SUPREME COURT.

IN APPELLATE JURISDICTION.

(Before the Full Court.) September 13th.

Ho Tai Sang and others appealed against decision of Capt. Hastings, acting police magistrate, on the prosecution of Inspector Corcoran. Mr. J. J. Francis, Q.C., instructed by Mr. Bowley (Mr. H. L. Dannys' office) was for the appellants, and the hon. W. M. Goodma (Attornoy-General) instructed by Mr. G. C. C Master, was for the re p ndent,

Mr. Francis stated that the appellants, the Hau Fook hong, were convicted under sec. 11 of Ord 22 of 1887 as amended by 6 of 22 of 1891 on a charge of removing 13 chests of raw opium in a boat from the "Pasig" wharf to Wanchal between 7 p.m on the 19th and 5 m.m. on the 20th July; they were fixed \$1 each, with the option of seven days imprisonment, and the oplum was confiscated. They appealed under Ord. 10 of 1800 on a point of law. The specilants had a permit to remove the opium, but the Crown contended that it was being removed in prohibited hours; the Farm uiging that as the boat anchored before dark, it was not being removed-that, in fact, as the boat belonged to the Farm, the opium had been removed "to the custody and possession of the Farmer," and so was no longer subject to the regulations. It was further contended that the Ordinance was intended solely for the protection of the Farmer, and could not therefore operate againsthim.

The Chief Justice said he distinctly understood that the Ordinance was intended to prewent smuggling from Hongkong into China, though there was no definite statement on record

The Attorney General pointed out that is his irate neighbours, on account of his incorni. particular cases the Farmer was mentioned as exempted, so that where he was not so mentioned he must presumably be included. mitted that the Ordinance was for his benefit only. The oplum had no business in th Court yesterday, and the arrears of work are beat at all, since it was stated on the permit to be fir removal from Bonham Strand to West Point, whereas it actually went to the eastern end of the harbour.

Their lordships decided in favour of the appellants and quashed the conviction, on the ground that the opium had been removed into the custrdy of the Farmer; " I'v refused to allow costs, on the ground that the conduct of the Farm servants led to reasonable

#### AN UNFORTUNATE OFFICER.

In reference to the decision of the Court on August 8th in favour of Lam Yik and Lam Sig. appellants, against James Logan, respondent, Mr. Francis stated that the costs had not yet been paid; the respondent, Mr. Logan, said he could not pay, and his employers, the Steamboat Company, refused to pay, on the ground that the Crown was responsible, this Court having stated in giving judgment that the Magistrate had tenure of office. evidently misunderstood the law. The appellants therefore asked that the order of the Court be amended so as to specially give costs.

Order made accordingly,

### THE NEW MORPHINE ORDINANCE

The following is the text of the amended Morphine Ordinance, which passed its accord reading at yesterday's meeting of the Legislative Council, on the motion of the Attorney-General, seconded by Dr. Ho Kri :-

A Bill entitled an Ordinance for the suppression of the perpirious practice of injecting preparations of morphine by unqualified persons Whereas it is desirable to forbid, in this Colony, the practice of injecting morphine except in cases where such treatment has been prescribed by some duly qualified medical practitioner, and to make provision for effectuall suppressing such practice.

Be it enacted by the Governor of Hongkone with the advice and consent of the Legislativ Council thereof, as follows :r. This Ordinance may be cited as Th

Morphine Ordinance, 1893. 2. For the purposes of this Ordinance...

Morphine shall include morphia and all salts of morphine and any solution thereof that can be used as an injection, but not preparations for ordinary internal use containing morphine as an ingredient but not sultable for purposes of injection.

Chemist or Druggist shall mean chemist or druggist holding a European or American certificate of qualification.

3. Any person who shall administer by inlection any morphine to any other person. except in cases where the same has been prescribed by some duly qualified medical practitioner, shall, on conviction before a Magistrate, be liable in each case to a fine not exceeding fifty dollars or to imprisonment with or without hard labour not exceeding two months.

.The onus of proving the exception shall lie on the person so administering the morphine.

4. Any person, who shall, except in cases where morphine has been prescribed by some duly qualified medical practitioner, furnish morphine or furnish a hypodermic syrings or other appliance for the injection of morphine, to any person, except to a duly qualified medical practitioner or to a chemist or druggist shall, on conviction before a Magistrate, he liable to a fire not exceeding fifty dollars, or to impilsonment with or without hard labour not exceeding two months.

The onus of proving the exception shall lie on the person furnishing morphine or a hypodermic syringe or other appliances as sicresaid. Provided that this section shall not apply to

the furnishing of morphine or hypodermic morphine for the purpose of bond fide exportation

5. It shall be lawful for any constable or officer of the police duly authorized by warrant of any Justice of the Peace (which shall be in the form in the Schedule hereto), with such assistants as may be necessary, to enter and, if necessary, to break into any place which such Justice of the Peace shall, from sworn information or of his own knowledge, have reasonable grounds to suspect and believe to be a piece kept or used for the injection of morphine contrary to the provisions of this Ordinance or where such injection is carried on, and to arrest any persons who may be found therein and whom he may suspect to | particular, nor, I may observe, has the Comhave acted or to be acting in contravention of this Ordinance, and to soize all morphine, hypodermic syringes and other appliances which may be found there and which are capable of being used for the injection of morphine, and on conviction of the offender, or in any case if the Magistrate shall so order, they shall be forfelted to her Melesty, the Quren, her helrs and succescors, and be dealt with as the Magistrate may

CHEDULE.

(Form of Warrant under Section 5.) To each and all of the Constables and Officers of the Pelley of the Colony of Honghous.

Whereas it appears to me (A.B.), one of the Justices of the Peace, for the Colony of Hongkong, (of my own knowledge or) by the informaation on eath of (C.D.), of

place and to arrest all such persons found therein Mesers. Wodehouse and May. as you may suspect to have acted or to be acting

other appliances to bring before a Magistrate to be dealt with according to the Ordinance, and for so doing this shall be your warrant. Given under my hand and seal at Victoria, lothe Colony of Hongkong, this

morphine, found in the said place or upon the

persons of those present in the said place, and

the said morphine, hypodermic syringes and

THE TREASURY FRAUDS.

(COLONIAL SECRETARY TO MR. N. G. MITCHELL-INNES Colonial Secretary's Office,

Hongkong, 11th April, 1893. Sir.-I am directed to inform-you that the Governor has perused the report of the Commission appointed to enquire into the Treasury defalcations, a copy of which has been forwarded to you with my letter of even date, with extreme

2. From the report and the evidence attached to it, his Excellency is unable to avoid the conclusion that you have continuously neglected the duties of your office. Quite irrespective of any obligations cast upon you by the Financial Instructions, it was your elementary duty as Treasurer not only to see that the revenue was promptly collected, but to see that when it reached your office it was all immediately placed to the credit of the Government. This is, in fact, the primary duty of all Treasurers, and it was obviously the primary duty of the office to which you were appointed at the beginning of 1891, and for which you have since been drawing your salary. But the Governor, to his great surprise and regret, learns from the report of the Commission, and the evidence recorded by them, that so far as at present appears, neither by checking your books, nor in any other way that could be discovered by the Commission. have you taken any steps to fulfil your duty of ensuring that the revenue which reached your office was all placed to the credit of the Government. His Excellency further learns that the result of this neglect of duty on your part has been that misappropriations of public moneys in the Treasury, which commenced before you assumed charge, remained undetected for years, and continued on a large scale during your

3. In these circumstances it has been by Excellency's painful duty to consider whether ! was necessary in the public interest to interdict you from office pending the enquiry into and settlement of your case. His Excellency has decided that it is not necessary. In view of the books having now been brought up to date; and of other circumstances, his Excellency is satisfied that there is no such risk of further misappropriations of public moneys in the Treasury, during the time that will be required for enquiring into and settling your case, as to necessitate your interdiction from office.

4. The Governor has next considered whether steps should be taken und r the Colonial Regulations with a view to your suspension from office. On this point his Excellency has decided to lay the matter before the Secretary of State, and I am to request you to be so good as to furnish me at your early convenience with sny explanation or statement that you may wish to be considered by the Secretary of State. The nature and bearing of the case, so far as it affects you, are sufficiently indicated in the report of the Commission, and the evidence attriched to it, and the second paragraph of this letter i but I may briefly summarise them by stating that what requires explanation on your part is your failure to discharge the erdinary and primary duty of your office as Treasurer in taking steps to secure the immediate placing to the credit of the Government all Gov. sument moneys that reached your office.

I have the honeur to be, sir, your most obedient servant.

G. T. M. O'BRIEN, . Colonial Secretary. The honourable N. G. Mitchell-Innes, Colonial

Treasurer, &c. (MR. N. G. MITCHELL-INNES TO COLONIAL

SICRETARY,) Tressury, Hongkong, 22nd April, 1801.

Sir,-I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter (confidential of 11th Instant stating that his Excellency learns from the report of the Commission on the Treas ry and the evidence recorded by them that, owing to neglect of duty on my part in not ensuring that the revenue which resched my office was all placed to credit of Government, misappropriation o public moneys in the Treasury continued on s large scale during my tenure of office,

2. All moneys shown in the daily collection book as received for Crown sent have, as matter of fact, been placed to credit of Govern. ment, and the only means (other than the balancing of the Rent Rol ) by which I could (as now appears) have discovered that these moneys did not represent the full amount actually paid in, was, by checking each receipt into the Rent Roll. Apart from the fact that such and the water is much discoloured over the syringes or other appliances for the injection of checking of receipts has simays been regarded the duty of the Anditor and not of the Treasurer, reference to my letter No. 12 of 228d March, 1892, (C. S. O. 728/91) will shew that more than a year ago I clearly stated what work the Treasury was ac ually performing, and pointed out that the systematic checking of receipts could not be properly performed by the Treasury with the existing staff. To that posttion no exception has, so far as I am aware, been tion ; the licensed pliots are furthermore under

3. I am therefore musble to concur in the state. tment, which has the power to suspend or cancel ment that the missppropriation of public funds. has been due to neglect on my part in this mission reported that such is the case except as connected with the nor-balancing of the 1800

4. For my fallure to appreciate on taking up office the necessity of having my predecessor's Rent Roll promptly balanced, and for the insurance companies already know to their cost, deplorable results of such failure. I beg to express again to his Excellency, as I have expressed before, my most sincere regret. I have the honour to be, sir, your abedient

N. G. MITCHELL IMMES. Treasurer The honourable G. T. M. O'Biles, C.M.C. Colonial Secretary, &c.

GOVERNOR TO SECRETARY OF STATE.

Government House, Hongkong, and September, 1803. My Lord Marquess,-I have already comthe place (here insert description of the place) | municated to your lordship the reply of Mr. is kept or used for the injection of morphine | Mitchell-Innes, the Colonial Treasurer, to the contrary to the provisions of The Morphine latter which I addressed to him in pursuance of Ordinance, 1893, or that such injection is carried | the Instructions conveyed in your lordship's on there. This is, therefore, to require you, despatch of 26th July last; and I have now the with such assistance as may be necessary, to | honour to report that the intimations directed in enter and, if necessary, to break into the said | the same despatch have been conveyed to

2-In rep'y to the ninth paragraph of your in contravention of the said Ordinance, and to I lerdship's despatch, I have to state that Alves selse all morphine, hypodermic syringes and gave no security, as in the proper discharge of other appliances which have been used or are | his duties he had nothing whatever to do with capable of being used for the purpose of injecting | the receipt or custody of money. Barradas, late of the Post Office, Hongkong, gave security to the amount of \$5,000; steps were taken to put his bond in suir, and on the Attorney-General's advice a tender of \$2 500 by way of satisfaction of the claim against his surety artifug on the bond. was accepted by my predecessor. It is doubtful whether, if the case had proceeded to trial, the Government would have recovered anything. 3.—The suggestions made in the 11th, 12th,

and 13th paragraphs of your lordship's despatch will receive careful consideration. 4.-The rules referred to in the 14th paragraph will be strictly carried out. I recently declined to sanction an application made by a subordinate

officer for the conversion of a farm lease held by him into a building lease with a view to the establishment of a factory on the land.-I have the honour to be, my lord, your lordship's most obedient humble servant. W. ROBINSON

The right benourable the Marquess of Ripon. her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies, &c.

THE BOOZE WATER QUESTION.

We have been requested to publish the following petition and correspondence, which speak

for themselves :--To the Honourable the Commons of Great Biltain and Ireland in Parliament assembled. The humble petition of the Church of England Temnerance Society, Hongkong branch of the National Temperance League. Cathay Lodge and Juvenile Temple of the Independent Order of Good Templars,

At a meeting held in the Seamen's Reading Room, West Point, Hongkong, on Fiday, oth day of June, 1893.

SHEWETH :-That your petitioners, being convinced that the common sale of intextcating liquors is disastrous to the peace and welfare of society, and the source of great darger to the nation, view with much satisfaction the in-reduction into the House of Commons by her Majasty's Governme it of the Liquor Traffic (Local Control) Bill. giving the inhabitants of districts power to veto the lasue of licences for the sale of intexicants. and your petitioners pray your honourable House

to pass the above. And we pray her Majesty's Government to extend the above law to our Crown Colonies. where temperance workers and missionaries have to labour against many difficulties and great disadvantages through the whole question of granting licences for the sale of intoxicating Ilquors being lelt in the hands of the Justices of the Peace,

And your petitioners will ever pray:-

For the I.O G.T.

Signed-For the C. E. T. S. Rev. A. G. GOLDSMITH, M.A. Chairman. Captain BROWN. Vice Chaleman. For the N.T.L. Rev. D. HAMILTON, M.A., President, Rev. G. H. HONDTIELD, Vire President Rev. DiLLON MUSSION, Vice President W. H. Row, Secretary.

> H. GIDLEY, P.V.T. S. WILKINSON, Secretary.

Mrs. Cactain BROWN, V.S.J.T.

JAS LOCHRAD, S.D.G.C.T.

House of Commons. 26th July, 1893. Dear Sir,-I thank you much for the petition from Hongkong. Drink is the curse of every age and every clime, and I am glad to find that we have the sympathy and support from your region in our hard fight against the common enemy. I hope that we shall see success in the struggle before very long.-I am, yours very

WILFRID LAWSON.

CORRESPONDENCE [We do not necessarily endorse the opinions expressed by Correspondents in this columni.

PILOTAGE IN THE INLAND SEA. To THE EDITOR OF THE "HONGROUG TELEGRAPH," Sm. -Will you kindly allow me through your columns to draw the attention of these concerned to what is a growing cvil, and must lead to an increasing loss to insurance companies, namely,

the employment of unliconsed pilots for the In-

land Sea of Japan,

Having seen in your valuable paper that the steamship Torridon had been on shore in the Sea and suffered considerable damage. I thick that the time has now arrived to call the attention of insurance and steamship companies and their meents sto the fact that Japan has an ample staff of properly licensed and thoroughly competent plios for the Inland Sea and coast of Japan, and Pilot Regulations governir g them, which will compare favorably with those of any other country; yet shipmasters are encouraged by their agents to take unqualified and consequently not responsible men to pilot their ships through the Inland Sea. when there are always properly licensed pilots to. be had to do the work.

The ligensed pilots for the coast of Japan and Inland Sea Service are men carefully selected bythe Marine Department for their known experience and unquestionable character; they are: also subjected to a thorough examination, not alone on the various courses and distances, but also se to their individual knowledge of cause and effect, by a compe ent Board of Examinathe strictest surveillance of the Marine Departheir licences when negligence in any form in

The unlicensed pilot on the other hand is absolutely without control, and although he has a little knowledge of the Inland Sen, sufficient to serve bis purpose in fine and clear weather, when he meets with thick and uncertain weather his superficial knowledge is found wanting, as I think, therefore, that it is now time that insurance companies in their own interests shou'd insist upon vessels amploying only properly licensed pilots for the Inland Sea. Thanking you in anticipation, and apolegizing

for the length of this letter, I am, Yours faithfully. MARINE INSURANCE

Kobe, 14 September, 1191

NEWS BY THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The Pacific Mail Co.'s steamship City of New | purse of \$10 000. York, Capt. F. H. Johnson, which left San Francisco with the American mails of August 19th, arrived in harbour this morning. For the subjoined telegrams we are indebted to our San Francisco exchanges :--

LONDON, August 10th. There were terrible thunderstorms throughout Great Britain lest night, and immense damage was done in the country districts. Cattle were killed and numbers of buildings damaged by lightning.

PARIS, August 10th. A correspondent at Cowes sends the following interesting story and guarantees its authenticity: On Sunday (July 30th) there were six hours when the tension between France and England was so great that war was considered almost inevitable. The Queen was being hourly informed of the state of affairs at Osborne. The Kaiser on hearing of the acute point that the Siamete question had arrived at, rubbed his hands together with glee and said : "Now the dance is going to begin,"

Seventy of the leading members of the Labor Exchange, which was closed during the recent troubles'in Paris, were fined to france each and costs for refusing to comply with the law for the regulation of trade syndicates. The court ordered | legislation to pretect the working women and the discolution of all syndicates concerned in the violations of law, including the executive com- preparatory step towards holding an international mittee of the labor exchange.

It is reported here that the affairs of the another airing in the courts, due to the efforts of the liquidators of the company to recover large sums of money.

NEW YORK, August 10th. Dom Hildebrand de Hemptinne, O. S. B., Abbot of a monastery in Belgium, has by Papalbrief been appointed Primate of the entire Benedictine Order. This is the first time in the the province of Campo Basso. history of the Bened'ctines that the Pope has ever appointed an Abbot a Primate.

VIENNA, August 10th. ravages in Styria. The town of Goestins was nearly ruined, and hundreds narrowly escaped with their lives. Nineteen villages were inundated and the whole country was devastated. Many ewes and lambs perished and crops were

zuined. At least nine persons were drowned. An official statement issued by the Sanitary Council of Austria declares that the condition of the country with regard to cholers is very precurious-much more serious than it was in 1892. Cholers has broken out among the laborers-mostly Italians and Croatians -building the railway at Marmaros, on the Galician frontier. Thirty-five have already died.

Seven cases of cholers and two deaths have occurred at Czernamed.

BUCHAREST, August 10th. In the twenty-four hours ending at noon to-day thirty-six new cases of cholera and four deaths were reported in Brahilov, and sixty-one new cases and ten deaths in Sonling.

NAPLES, August 10th. Three de the from cholera were reported in this city in the last twenty four hours. . Cases of cholera are constantly occurring in the districts around Naples.

BERLIN, August 10th. The Imperial Board of Health denies the deport this a case of cholera occurred a few days ago in this city.

FRANKFORT, August 10th. The confirence of Finance Ministers of several states of the German empire which met here to-day concluded its labors. The object of the collerence was to devise means of raising over. by taxation the money necessary to meet the increased expenditures necessitated by the army

The conference appointed a committee to meet in Berlin to prepare bills for presentation to the Reichstag, embodying the conclusions arrived at by all the Miriters.

AUCKLAND, August 10th. According to the latest advices from Apla order has been completely restored in Samos. As a result of the conference between the foreign Consuls and the captains of the foreign war ships, M taafa was deported to the Union islands | been badly damaged. about the German man-of-war.

ZURICH, August roth. immediately after a war is declared. The resolution was supported by representatives of only four nations, while fourteen nations voted against it.

The Belgian amendment in favor of alming to suppress militarism by withholding supplies was adopted.

PANAMA, August 10th. Pacific Mail employes are much excited over a reduction in salaries of 50 per cent Notice was given to-day that the salaries of all emplayes, from the general agent down, would be paid after September 1st in common silver instead of American gold.

The reduction, it is said, will not be accepted, and it is believed that the best officers will leave. It is expected that 'the reduction will extend to fleet officers. It already includes coast agents. LONDON, August 12th.

It is stated on the bighest authority that the Government has decided to hold an inquiry into the causes which led to the capsising of the Victoria after she had been in collision with the Camperdown. This is to be done in order to relieve doubt whether the capsising was due to defective design and construction or to the fact that the water-light compartments were not completely closed.

The inquiry will take the form of either Paillamentary committee or of a commission of inquiry similar to that which investigated the Tay bridge disaster. The minutes of the courtmarial on the survivors of the Victoria in the de toyed. meantime are to be presented to Parliament. It is not yet definitely decided whether Admiral Markham or Captain Johnson is to be courtmartialed for hazarding the safety of the Camper-

The Chinese Government, replying to Russia's secent demand for an explanation of the massing of England, comprising fourteen privates and of the Pamir, says China intends to occupy only | three non-commissioned officers, arrived here Chinese Pamir, from which she will not recede. to-night and left by the Canadian Pacific Railan inch. The note adds that China does not | road for the Pacific coast. The marines, who interfere with Russia's occupying other parts of are under the command of Lieu enants Barnes the Pamirs, but hopes Russia will confine her. and Temple, will be stationed on the Esquimait operations to those parts.

ROME. August 11th. A severe earthquake has occurred along the Italian-Adriatic coast. It is believed there was a large loss of life. The shock was most severe in the south, particularly in the province of Foggia. Telegraph and train services are inter-

NEWPORT (R. I.), August 11th. The trial race between the yachts Pligrim, miles. Subilee, Vigilant and Colonia to decide which one of them is to defend the "America's" cup against Lord Duoraven's fleet cutter Valkyris took place to-day.

It was more of a drifting match than a race. as there was scarcely a breeze. The fog was so dense that nothing definite is known, though it is believed the Vigilant passed over the line first. She may not prove the winner, however, when the time allowance is worked out. The course was thirty-eight miles. There

were also races between sloops and schooners. CONRY ISLAND, Avgust 11th. Solly Smith, who recently defeated Johnny Alitho, and George Dixon to-night signed asticles endered to return to the United States.

of agreement to fight before the Concy Island Athle i: Club on Monday, September 25th, for a

They will fight for the feather-weight championship of the world, at 118 pounds, the weights to Le in at the club on the day of the combat.

BYLYAST, August 11th. Jemes Walker, who was in the beginning of 1887 sentenced to twenty years' penal servitude for shooting a soldier during the rioting in Belfast in 1886, was released from Mountjoy Prison to-day by order of the Government. LONDON, August 11th.

Dick Burge to-day deposited £500 with the Sporting Life to blod a match with Jack Dempsey. The fight will be for \$10,000 a side and the championship of the world, to take place In the United States early in December. The match will be under Queensberry voles. August 12th.

Another death from cholers was certified to at Grimsby on Friday. Clarlotta Leclerco, the actress, died on Wednesday night, in Kensington, after a long illness.

ROME August 12th. The Pope has written a letter to De Curtis. chief of the Swiss Catholics and exhapter of the International Catholic Workingmen's Congress, stating that his holiness approves of international children. The letter is designed to be the

workingmen's congress. The Poce has received a letter from President Panama Canal Company will shortly have Cleveland congratulating him on the occasion of Hungary amounts to many millions of florins. the golden jubilee. He sent the Pope a book In many districts the peasantry are beggared. containing official papers and documents written | Thousands of small landowners have lost sheds. by him during his first term in office.

> that seven new cases and eight deaths have been recorded in the twenty-four hours ending at noon | the eye can see. At Vorasco a weakshop was to-day. An outbreak of cholera is reported in

Repeated shocks of earthquake destroyed half | Galicia. of the town of Mattinata, on the Adriatic coast. Several persons were killed and a number in-The waterspout of Saturday committed terrible jured. The Stromboli volcano is in violent

> the open air. It has been ascertained that three have been drowned and many others are persons were killed and four were injured. WASHINGTON, August 121b. John Ruskin has almost recovered his health,

but he has rell-quished all literary work and is taking a comp'ete rest. PHILADELPHIA, August 12th. The new triple-screw cruiser Minneadon 1 was launched at the Cramps' shipyard this afternoon. She represents the most advanced type of the modern commerce destroyer. The

cost, exclusive of armament, is \$2,690,000. Fully 20 000 persons were present, including | treatment. Vice-President Stevenson and other officials from Washington.

T e vessel was christened by Miss Lizzle M. Washburn, daughter of Senator Washburn of Minnesota. BUCHAREST, August 12th. Fourteen new cases of cholera and six deaths | Naples states: "Cholera is at Barra, Portici

are reported in Brahilo to-day. In Soulina. Vigo ("p in), August 12th. The French transport Drome has put into this

port badly damaged. The vessel coulded with the French steamer Octeville. The latter was so badly damaged that she sank, carrying five persons down with her. CAIRO, August 12th.

The difficulty between the Khedive and his McLean. Prime Minister has been adjusted. The crisis is

BOSTON, August 12th. At Mystic Park to-day Nancy Hanks was sent to beat her record, which is the world's record, of 2.04, but failed, going in 2.081.

LONDON, August 13th. phenomenon in August is unprecedented. Tertius third. Several casualties are repor ed. The steamboat Ville de Doubes collided with an unknown steamer. The unknown vessel disapprared im-

The British cruiser Forth rammed the British disease. steamer Kirkby. A big hole was knocked in The International Socialists' congress to-day the Kirkby's port side amid-ships, through which rejected a resolution offered by the Norwegian | the water rust ed in in immense volumes. Some delegates that a universal strike he started of her compartments filled with water, but the undamaged compartments kipt her affoat. The Kirkby was towed to post by the Forth.

Official returns show a great increase in cholers in Russia during the past week. In twelve provinces there were 1952 new cases and 720 deaths. In Moscow city, there was an average | died yesterday. of thirty cases and fifteen deaths daily.

ROME, August 13 h. In the twenty-four hours ending at noon to-day there were five new cases of cholers and two

deaths in Naples. PARIS, August 13th. M. Lockroy, the former Cabinet Minister, was fired at yesterday by a man named Moore, a natorious socialist. Moore stopped Lockroy and demanded a loan of ten francs. He was refused whereupon he rushed at Lickroy in fury, and fired at his right breast with a revolver. Lockroy fainted. His friends rushed to his

as: istance, and found the breast reverely bruised was taken home and Moore was arrested.

lodged in the body, VIENNA, August 13 h. trict in Hungary to-day: Fifty persons and States, have assigned; liabilities between many head of cattle were drowned. One hundred houses and several railway and other bridges more. were demolished and much of the harvest crop

BERLIN, August 13'h. The beireibal of Prince John, nephew of the King of Saxony, to the Princes: Maria of Wor-

temburg was publicly announced to-day. NO TREAL (Quebec), August 13th. A detachment of the Royal Marine Artillery forifications. The Canadian Parliament voted \$700,000 towards the building of the fortifications on the understanding that the Imperial Government would man them. The present detachy ment is the first of a force of 100 men that will

be placed upon the fortifications. COTTAGE CITY, Mass., August 14th. The Vigilant won the run from Newport today, beating the Jubiles and the Colonia two

NEW YORK, August 14th. The Herald s Washington correspondent telegraphs: The Ballimore, now at the New York yard, will be ready for sailing by August 25th, and soon after she will leave for the Asiatic station to displace the old Laucaster as flagship. Her voyage will take her first to Gibraltar, There she will stop for only a day or two, She will then proposed to Malta for coal and theace to Sucz, where her bunkers will be replenished.

From there she will continue to the China station, stopping at a low ports on the way. arriving there the Admiral will transfer his flag to the new ship and the Lancaster will

patients are improving.

ST. PATERSBURG August 14th. The intensity of the heat has caused a sudden increase of the cholers epidemic in a most virulent form in the infected Russian cities.

BOMBAY, August 14th., The religious riots in this city bave ended, the Mohammedans and Hindoos having been awed by the display of force by the authorities. Business has resumed its usual channels. BERLIN, August 14th.

During a review of troops in the barracks by Emperor William to-day the wall of the building collapsed. Seven people were seriously injured. MADRID, August 14th. The Government has abandoned the purpose

of collecting duties in gold on account of a general protest throughout the country. A new loan of \$6,000,000, secured by Cuban bonds. will be issued in lieu thereof. BUDA PEST, August 14th, Floods are pravailing in Gallicia and Northern

which border on Galicia on the south, Decusted the suburbs of Unghvar, and the capital of Ungh are inundated. Many persons have bern killed by falling buildings or drowned in the floods. The River Daleper and its affiaents are over flowed, inundating the adjacent country. The

Hungary. The countles of Saros and Ungh.

town of Turke, in Galicia, is partly destroyed and twenty persons were drawned. The damage caused in Galicia and Northern cattle and crops. Many have been killed by The official cholers report for Naples says lightning and hail. The Zugra plains have been transformed into a lake that stretches as far as swept away and fourteen employes were drowned.

ST. PETERSBURG, August 15th. The fishing fleet was overwhelmed by a storm to-day in the Baltic off Hausal, a sesport about sixty miles southwest of Revel. Many bosts The inhabitints of Mattinata are camping in foundered, and seventeen persons are known to

Sixty persons were drowned at Rymanow,

LONDON, August 15th. It is reported that General Olibert has been appointed Governor of Buenos Ayres in place of General Costa, and that a state of slege wi shortly be proclaimed throughout the republic Troubles in the city of La Plata still continue. BERLIN, August 15th.

Three persons suspected of having Aslatic cholera have been admitted into the hospitals here. Two have died and the third is still under

QUARANTINE (S I.), August 15th. Health officers report no new cases of cholers at noon to-day. All the patients except one are up and around the island. One case was removed.

A cable received this morning from

Torre, Annunsiats, Castelamene, Pegano, twenty-four new cases and eleven deaths are | Nocera, Cava, Meta, Masa, Sorrento, Amalfi, Capri and Pozzueli. The c towns are south of WARSAW (Ird.), August 15th.

James Starbury of Australia, the champion. carsman of the world, to-day won the mile race with three turns. Time, 5 minutes 54 seconds. He also won the qua-ter-mile dash in a minute I second, defeating Charles Stevenson and Alex.

PANAMA, August 15th. An extradition treaty has been exchanged by Colombia and Spain.

LOYDON, August 16th. The race for the great Northern Leger Stakes, 800 sovereigns, was run to-day at Stockton and won by R. Swanwick's bay filly Queen of A dense fog covered the English channel all Ni varre; Sir R. Jaidine's bay colt Canning Saturday night and up to noon to day. Such a second and Winn's unnamed chestnut colt by

VIENNA, August 16.b. A case of cholera has occurred in the military camp at Bruck, twenty-three miles from this mediately from sight, and it is believed to have city. The patient has been isolated and every precaution taken to prevent the spread of the

ST. PITESPURG, August 16th. Official returns indicate a further increase in cholers. The epidemic is especially severe in Moscow, where 166 new cases and sixty-reven deaths from the disease were reported from August 8th, to August 12th.

BERLIN. August 16th. Carl Mueller, the well-known German painter and director of the Art Academy of Dutseldorf,

Dublin, August 16th. A fatal recident occurred to-day to a party of merrymakers in Western Ireland. An excursion party left Kilkee, in the southwestern part of county Clare, intending to cross Carrigabolt bay, river Shannon. When the party were a considerable distance from shore their boat was capsized and everybody on board thrown

into the water. Seventeen of the excursionists were drowned. Captain G. A. Tayler, will be despatched for the LONDON, August 18th. The Paris correspondent of the Times says Is at 5 P.M.

the fight between the French and Italian working men in Algues Mortes yesterday, at least fift but not pierced by the ball. The wounded man were killed and 150 wounded. The trouble grow Light. out of a dispute over the wages paid different Uson making a careful examination of the nationalities. No further trouble is expected, as wounded man the surgeons found his flesh badly the Mayor of the town announces that Italians torn, but they goold not say it the bul'et had are not to be employed any more. NEW YORK, August 18th.

Eppinger & Russell, who are among the A cloudburst made havor in the Epciles dis- henviest operators in yellow pine in the United \$350,000 and \$400,000, and assets considerably

Vignna, August 18th. Cholera continues to increase in Southern Russia and Galicia.

Dispatches from various points in Roumania and South Russia tell of earthquake shocks to- side. day. At Bucharest considerable slight damage was done. The people are punic stricken. ROME, August 18th.

The Pope has raised the Vicariate of Idaho in the United States to the dignity of a Bishopric.

CREFOO,

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

and September, 1893. The heat of summer seems to have passed away, and instead we are having cool breezes from the north, and refreshingly pleasant mornings and evenings. The visitors a e leaving by almost every steamer, and in a few weeks we shall have returned to the comparative monotony of Chefoo life. The regatta takes place on the 7th, and the interest in the contests is indicated by the number of crews that are out

practising both morning and evening. We had a timely fall of rain three days ago which probably saved some of the crops ir vin rnin. There had been a long stretch of dry weather, and it was feared that if rain did not speedily fell the effect would be very disastrous to the native population. Rain has new fallen. and the unripe crops have been refreshed and

some are being already gathered in. The military authorities are busy making roads in different directions, la der weather these thoroughlares are available for traffic, but in wet weather, owing to insufficient acquainte

The evening cholera bulletin is: There are | ance on the part of officials with the methods of no new cases or deaths to report. All the macademising, their usefulness is minimized .-Shanghai Mercury.

SHANSI NOTES.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.) 10th August, 1893.

There was a slight earthquake shock felt in T'aiku-haisa about 3 o'clock on the afternoon of the rath of August. No damage is reported. The heavy summer rains have swept away many of the roads, so that traffic between the large cities has virtually ceased for the present. An official and spite who started off from Talyuanfu for the north, in splie of the weather, about the first of the month, met with a mass of water ter if from the city which swept away fifteen of his followers. This incident would be amusing if it were not sad. Fancy, fifteen men drawned on a road—the great highway of the Celestial empire-ten & distant from a capital city where

a great Tsotal spreads his shadow. It is stated that to the north from Tal-yuanf: a petition to the throne purporting to be from Viceroy Chang Chin-tung has been circulated with a view to stirring up the people to kill all the foreigners and burn their property. One well qualified to pronounce an opinion on the subject says of this document: "It is no lowborn placard, but a very well written document. It begins with a mention of the Opium War and tells how several cowardly officials made the appeal to arms a failure by arrant cowordice. It then goes pa-ito, show how one concession after another has been made to the English batbarians until what with our doctrine and our encroachments we shall at no distant day get entire possession of the land. Then follow references to history, how the past has lessons in that the northern barbarians could not be satisfied by any concessions made to them but still called for more and more until they were subdued and put in their place. This is the only course to pursue with the foreigners. Exterminate them, burn up their property. Will others come to avenge? We are ready, they have to come from a distance; we are many, they are few; we will cat them up as they land, and fear not but they will soon lose heart. It will cost something to do it, but very little to what It will cost if the day be deferred. All people like this plan of a swift and speedy extermination. The scholars always were for it; one word of explanation, and every one else sees the wisdom of it. Even the old women have sufficient sense to understand it and say, 'Yes that is the right thing. Kill them, drive them HE Steamship out.' So the Imperial master is pleaded with to act on these lines." An enquiry at the Talyuanfu yamin, where copies of all documents con- Captain Ellis, will be despatched for the above cerning the empire are sent, has led to the discovery on the part of an English Baptist missionary that a representation concerning the treatment to be shown to foreigners has been sent to Peking by Chang Chih-tung, and that the usual way of procedure has been departed from in this case - a copy has not been forwarded but a couple of sentences as to the subject it dealt with substituted .- N. C. Daily News.

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CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

12th September, 1893 .- At 4 p.m. STATION. Victoria Pask seem Gan Roce ..... " NW

13th September, 1893.—At to s.m. 10.57 Cape St. Jazzant ag.98 ... SW 4 6 ...

On the 1sth at | p.m. Red north cone taken down Typheon oppears to be now moving westward in the interior of China.
On the rath at rolls a.m. Barometer rising. Moderate S.E.
breeres. Sea slight. Weather fair to showery.

r-Barometer reduced to level of the sea in Inches, tenths and hundredths. a-Temperature in the shade in degrees, Fahrenheit. A-Humidity in percentage of saturation, the humidity of all saturated with moisture being son. 3-Direction of the wind to two points. 5.—Force of the wind according to Resulter scale. 6-State of the weather, 5 Blue sky, 7 Detected clouds, 5 Deisrling rain, 5 Fog. 2 Clos my. 5. Hall, 5 Lightning, 6 Overrast, 5 Passing showers, 2 Squally, 7 Rain, 5 Snow, 5 Thunder, 8 Visibility, 10 Daw 10-16, 7-Rain in inches, tenths and hundredths.

F. G. Fron, First Assistant,

F. G. Frag. First Astistant. Hongkong Observatory, 13th September, 1893.

MAILS EXPECTED.

THE FRENCH MAIL.

The Messageries Maritimes Co.'s steamer Sochallen, with the outward French mail, left Singapore to-day at 5 p.m., and may be expected here on the 20th instant.

THE AMERICAN MAILS,

The O. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Gaelle, with mails, &c., from San Francisco, left Yokohama on the 12th instant, and may be expected here on the 17th.

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer City of Paking. with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port via Yokohams, on the 2nd ins ant.

THE CANADIAN MAIL. The Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s steamer Empress of Tapan left Vancouver on the 29th ultimo for Yokoham v. Kobe, Nagasaki, Shang-China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$150 | hai and Hongkong, and may be expected here

about the 19th instant. NORTHERN PACIFIC MAIL. The Northern Pacific Steamship Co.'s steamer Jacoma, from Tacoms, left Yokohama on the 11th Instant, and may be expected hera on the

THE INDIAN MAIL. The steamer Catherine Apcar, with the Indian mail, left Singapore on the 8th instant, and may be expected here to-morrow.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The Ocean Steamship Co.'s steamer Than left Singapore on the 8th instant, and may be expected here to-morrow. The Ocean Steamship Co.'s steamer Orestes

left Singapore on the 8th instant, and may be expected here to-morrow.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Taya left London for this port on the 20th ultimo.

## Antiputna.

ESMERALDA, British steamer, 066, G. A. Taylor, 12th Sept.,-Manila 10th Sept., General .-Shewan & Co.

CITY OF NEW YORK, American steamer, 3,500, F. H. Johnson, 19th Sept .. - San Francisco 10th August, and Yokohams 7th Sept. Mails and General .- P. M. S. S. Co. SHANGHAI, British steamer, 2,044. E. Street 13th Sept .. - London and August, and Singapore 7th Sept General .- P. & O. S

CONTINENTAL, Dutch steamer, 672, C. Schall, 13th Sept.,-Iloito 1st September, Sugar.-Lauts, Wegener & Co.

Andday, British steamer, 1.001, James Thom, 13th Sept,-Tave 3rd September, Sugar.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. SWATOW, German cteamer, 631. C. Binge, 13th Sept.,-Canton 13th September, General.-

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Hanol. French steamer, for Haiphong. Sunghlang, British steamer, for Amoy, &c. Ningho, German steamer, for Shanghal. Aglata, German steamer, for Singapore, Hallan, British steamer, for Swatow, &c. Loksang British steamer, for Kobs. Canton, British steamer, for Swatow, &c. Activ, Danish steamer, for Holhow. Lawang British steamer, for Yokohama. Ching-ping, Chinese steamer, for Kalchow. Tellus, Norwegian steamer, for Kutchirottu.

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DEPARTURES.

Beptember 13, Chusan, German str., for Kobs. September 13, Canton, Bellish str., for Swatow | CREEDMOOR, Eritish ship, 1,448, W. B. Kennedy, and Shanghal. September 13, Ninepo, German steamer, for

Shanghal September 12, Krim, Norwegian steamer, for Ratavia. September 13, Hanol, French str., for Halphong. September 13, Hattan, British str., for Swatow,

Amoy, and Foochow. September 13, Marques Bacquehem, Austrian steamer, for Shanghal and Kobs.

PARTEMOTERS-ARRIVED. Per City of New York, from San Francisco, &c .- 20 Chinese (steerage).

Per Esmerolda, from Manila,- I European, I Indian, and 54 Chinese (deck). Per Shanghaf, from Singapore, &c -- 263 Chinese.

DEPARTED. Per Orion, for Singapore.-Mr. and Mrs. Tessen, Mr. Gutlerres, and 250 Chinese. Per Rokilla, for Shanghal from Hongkong.-Mr. and Mrs. Hughes, 2 children and 2 smale, Messrs. McLeavy Brown, H. Wishell, and Jameson, From London for Shenghall Mes. Richard and Mr. J. Russell. For Biledick. Mr. E. Rathmest.

REFORTS The British steamship Ardgay reports that she left Java on the 3rd instant. Had strong

south-west-monsoon and high sea with overcast cloudy weather in the China Sea. The Brilish steamship Esmeralda reports that she left Manila on the 10th Instant, Had fresh south west to north-west winds with considerable south-west swell. On the roth passed the barque Tarapaca off Manile Bay, wishing to be reported " all well."

The British steamship City of New York reports that she left San Francisco on the 10th. ultimo at 4.06 p.m. Experienced westerly wind and heavy head sea almost the entire voyage. Crossed the 180th meridian on the 25th at 6.30 p.m., in lat. 45.53 north. 16 days, I hour and 40 minutes to Yokohama. Sailed from Yokohama on the 7th instant at 6 s.m. On the 11th at 9 w.m. when off Turnabout Island, encountered a very severe typhoon, ship being on left semi-circle and wind north-east blowing with a force of 100 miles per hour at times, and sea correspondingly heavy. The lowest reading of the barometer was between midnight: and 5 a.m. on the 12th when it registered 28.42. After" this the weather moderated and remained clear until entering post.

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For Swatow .- Fer Fokien to-morrow, the 14th netant, at 10.30 A.M. For Kobe -- Per Loksang to-morrow, the 14th instant, at 10.30 A.M. For Singapore. - Per Aglaia to-morrow, the | Continental Route.

14th lostant, at 11.30 A.M. Peshawur to-morrow, the 14th instant, at 11 | choice of Atlantic Line.

SHIPPING IN HONGKONG

ACTIV, Danish steamer, 355, H. Hygom, 11th Sept.,-Pakhoi 7th September, and Holhow 10th, General and Pigs.-Nam Tal. AGLAIA, German steamer, 1,650, G. Petersen;

11th Sept.,-Kobe 4th Sept., General.-Siemssen & Co. AMOV, German steamer, 663, W. Wulff, 10th Sept.,-Cebu 4th September, Ballast.-Ed. Schellhass & Co.

Bantam, Dutch steamer, 1 457, C. J. van de Bergh, 19th July, -Bangkok 13th July, Rice. -Lauis, Wegener & Co. BORNEO, Dutch steamer, 1,490 J. S. Theunissen,

12th Sept.,-Bangkok 5th Sept., Rico and Wood.-Lauts, Wegener & Co. Byono, Norwegian steamer, oot, C. Bockke, 4th Sep'.,-Kutchinotzu 29th August, Coal.-Wieler & Co.

CAPE COLONNA, British steamer, 1,764, H. J. Alston, 12th Sept.,-Hongay oth Sept., Coals .- Jardine, Matheson & Co. CHING-PING, Chinese steamer, 524, C. H. Crowlie, 20th August,-Canton 20th August, General.-C. E. & M. Co.

CITY OF RIO DE JANEIRO, American steamer, 3,548, J. T. Smith, 6th Sept. - San Francisco 10th August, and Yokohama 28th. Mails and General.-P. M. S. S. Co. CROMARTY, British steamer, 1,864, W. S. Duncan, 7th Sept ,- Java 29th Aug., Sugar.

-Jardine, Matheron & Ce. FIDELIO, German steamer, 852, Nissen, 7th Sept.,-Ilollo 3rd Sept., Sugar.-Melchers

FORIEN, British steamer, 509, W. Davis, 12th Sept.,-Tamsul 5th Sept., Amoy 7th, and Swatow 11th, General.-D. Lapraik & Co. GLUCKSBURG, German steamer, 918, P. Thomsen, 5th Sept.,-Bangkok 28th Aug., General .-Meichers & Co.

INDEPENDENT, German steamer, 1,003, Schäfer. 11th July,-Maritimes 15th June, General. -Wieler & Co. LAWANG, German steamer, 1,578, Schuder, 8th Sept, -Singapore and Sept. General --

Siemssen & Co. LOESANG, British steamer, 978, Moncur, 6th Sept.,-Sourabaya 28th Aug., Sugar,-Jardine, Matheson & Co. MACDUFF, British steamer, 1,872, E. Porter, 11th

Sept.,-Singapore 5th Sept., General,-Dodwell, Carlill & Co. PESHAWUR, British steamer, 2,136, J. F. Jephson, 12th Sept ,-Shanghai 9th Sept., Mails and

General .- P. & O. S. N. Co. PHRA CHULA CHOM, KLAO, British steamer, 1,012, J. A. Morris, 7th Sept.,-Bangkok 28th August, and Koh-si-chang 1st Sept., General.-Yuen Fat Hong.

Proposeris, British steamer, 1,387, W. H. Farrand, 14th March,-Salgon oth March, Rice and Paddy.—Arnhold, Karberg & Co. SYAM, British steamer, 991, W. Nicol, 10th Sept., -Bangkok 3rd Sept., Rice. - Chinese. Sungkiano, British steamer, 994, C. B. N. Dedd, 11th Sept .- Manila 8th September. General .- Butterfield & Swire.

TAI-CHEONG, German steamer, 828, T. Spieson, 9th Sept.,-Salgon 3rd Sept., Rice.-Meyer

TAI-YUAN, British steamer, 2,260, R. Nelson R.N.R., 11th Sept., Sydney 17th August, Coals and General, -Butterfield & Swire. Cosls.-Mitcu Bussan Kaleha.

VERONA, British steamer, 1,876, C. H. S. Tocque, R.N.R., 11th Sept.,-Yokohama 3rd Sept, Malls and General.-P. & O. S. N. Co. WINDSOR, British steamer, 1,795, J. Raeburn 4th Sept.,-Batoum 28th August, Keroseni UIL-E. D. Sassoon & Co.

ADOLPH, German bark, .. 767. E. Westergaard. -Siemssen & Co. Assynia; British bark, 1,148. H. W. Dunip, 5th all Parcel Packages should be marked to ad-July,-Singapore 17th Jure. Timber,- dress in full ; value of same is required.

RAILING VESSELS.

CENTENNIAL, American ship. 1,223. B. J. Colcord, 6th Sept ,-Singapore 23rd August, Timber. September 12, Kwangles, Chicase steamer, for CHARON WATTANA, Stamese bark, 654. G. Koch. 20th July,-Bangkok 15th July, Teakwood.

> 28th August, Shanghai 19th Aug., Ballaut. -Siemsten & Co. EMILIE, German bark. 948, H. Schutt, 21st July, -Halphong o'h July, Ballast,-Captain, EMILY F. WHITNEY, American ship, 1,249, A.

> I. Parsons, 3rd Sept .. - Salgon 24th August, Paddy and Rice Flour,-Order, FREEMAN, American bark, 1,138, E. A. Gerrish. 28th August,-Shanghal 15th August, Ballast.-Shewan & Co. GALVESTON, German bank, 6'9. H. Jakobsen,

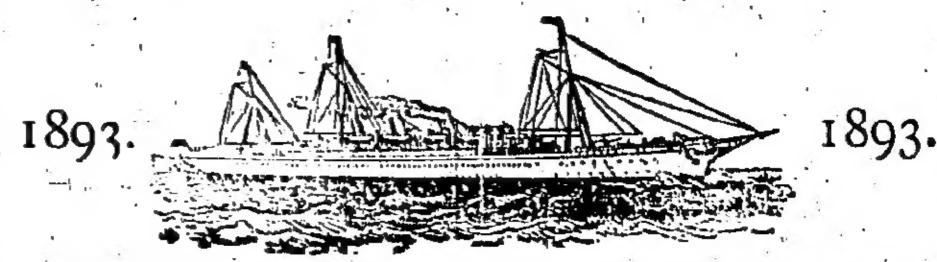
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